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In re Application of

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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated January 30, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Claims 1-23 are now pending in the application. New claim 48 is sought to be added to further describe the claimed invention. Claims 24-47 were previously withdrawn from consideration. The Amendment does not introduce new matter, and the entry is respectfully requested. Based on the above Amendment and the following Remarks, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider all outstanding objections and rejections, and that he withdraw them.